

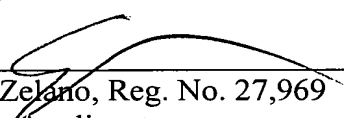
### **REMARKS**

The foregoing cancels the pending subject matter which stands rejected and limits the claims to only the allowed subject matter. The amendments to claims 35 and 36 are clearly merely of a formal nature, changing the dependency to an allowed independent claim. More than an equal number of other claims have been canceled.

This action is being taken in order to obtain a patent on the allowed subject matter and is not to imply any agreement with the position of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office as to the non-allowed subject matter.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3402.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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